

REACHING THE HISPANIC CONSUMER WITH ENERGY STAR®

2007 ENERGY STAR Appliance Partner Meeting
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WECC

- Wisconsin Energy Conservation Corporation is a nonprofit organization based in Madison, WI.
- Established in 1980, WECC is a national leader in designing and implementing energy efficiency and renewable energy programs that partner with private businesses to deliver value to consumers.
- It champions innovative energy initiatives that deliver short- and long-term economic and environmental benefits to consumers, businesses and policy makers.



An Important Market

This is an important and growing market sector and a target audience that is largely untapped in Wisconsin and other regions in the Midwest.

- Growth of the Hispanic affluent and middle class is occurring faster than the majority of Caucasian Americans.
- Projected to account for 46% of the total U.S. population growth over the next two decades.
- In Wisconsin the market consists of 4.5% of the total population; 10.8% of Milwaukee County.
- Marketing to various ethnic audiences is vital to consumer-oriented product and service companies.



Past Successes



- Bulb sales
 - Materials for employers with
 Spanish-speaking employees
 - Spanish language point-ofpurchase materials
- Change a Light
 - Coupons
 - Radio remotes





Current Efforts

- Point-of-Purchase Materials
- Fact Sheets
- Brochures
 - Appliance
 - Lighting
- Translated Call Center Services



Tuerza. Apaque. Ahorra

De veras puede ser tan rácil bajar sus pagos de esergia. Tuesos una bombila que lleve la marca de EMEROF STAR y es una del estão fluorescente compacta (CPL). Reemplara muebles ineficientes con unos que llevan la marca de EMEROY STAR y por supecto, apague los lucias cuando sales de un cuarto. Acaba de altoma unos centras dálams cada arte en su pago de enveigia.

Considere ento: si cada familia en los EE.UU. reemplana una bontella estándar con una de ENERGY STAP, entos la polación igual como remocer un millón de estos de la salla. Los afreres crecesión con cada bombilia o mueble que cambias. Estamos dispuestos a apostar que usted tieno mas que una bembilia en su casa. Aun milio corrague otra vertaja de adver que esta ejudando a pessenar el antidente de Illisconsin. Menos enesgía sada significa menos impactos negativos en nuestro ase, term. y agua.

¿Apenas cuanto puede ahorrar usted?

En prometio, 10-15 por ciento de la cuenta media de electricidad esta gastado en iluminación, por la major soción de usar translitas y mueblos ineflerentes. Pero miniciono los afrontos pueden crecer cuando usa bombilitas fluorescentes compactas, cuales utilizan mesos enegla para mear lo mismo cantolad de laz, (Use la table 1 para deferminar la potencia en usbas correcto para tras necesidades. Los ahoros estale basados en usa bombilis que tiere un surso de vida de 10,000 haixas, quemendo 3,5 homa al día al 7 combacos por HVIII-).

Tabla 1: ¿Cuánto puede ahorrar?

Dombilla Innandescente vida	CIFL equivalent	Ahorros por el curso de la
30 - 40 watt	11 watt	937
49 - 50 watt	53 wett	422
60 matt	35 watt	120
15 matt	20 watt	635
60 - 100 watt	23-29 met	840-51
120 watt	30 walt	456
35/30:100 met	11/18/23 meltion	u 433-54
50(100)150 wall	35 wall 3 way	123-10

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¿Por qué haga el cambio? Respilles calificades per ENERGY SIAR

- Utilizan hasta 75% menos energia que una bombilla incandescente estándar
- Duran hasta 10 veces mas largo para años de uso
 Ahortan por lo menos \$50 en costes energéticos active su curso de vida
- Extán disponibles en diversos formas y estilos; caben en usos especiales como en bombillas de 3 luminosidades, bombillas graduables y mas

Limperas del piso de tipe tocchioce calificadas por ENERGY STAR

- Queman 4001-600" mas fresco que las l\u00e4mparas de aligies, entonpes sos mas seguros para usar
- Utilizan hasta 75% menos energia
- Ahorsan hasta \$150 en costes energéticos sobre su curso de vida



Partalámparas calificadas por ENERGY STAR

- Utilizan hasta 75% menos enesgla
- Funciona en temperaturas mas bajas para uso mas seguro
- Vienen en diversos estilos y formas para usar adentro de su casa

Abanices del techo cualificadas per ENERGY STAR

- Ahorsan hasta \$225 en cestes energéticos sobre sus euros de vida
- · Funcionan 40% mas efisiente que stros modelos
- Utilizan hasta 80% menos energia para ituminación

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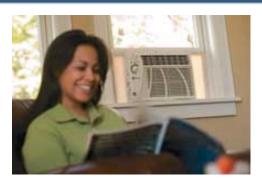


Current Efforts Cont.

- Image Library
- CAL 2007
 - Coupons
 - Public Relations
 - ✓ Securing coverage on Telemundo during its newly introduced newscast in Milwaukee













Events and Outreach

LULAC - Milwaukee 2006

- Housing Fair Targeting lower to moderate income Latino families in the Milwaukee area
- Bulb Sale in partnership with a local retailer
 - 800 ENERGY STAR qualified CFLs sold
- Survey designed to help us gain a better understanding of the market
- Children's outreach including coloring books and crayons with Focus on Energy logo on box





LULAC Survey Results

- Respondents were more likely to be female, have a higher level of education, more likely to own their home, and have a slightly higher household income than the typical Wisconsin Latino resident.
 - named energy savings as their reason for their CFL purchase.
 - influenced by the instant reward.
- Most respondents had purchased CFLs before.
- Over 70% said they were familiar with the ENERGY STAR label.
 - newspaper ads, utility bills and friends



LULAC Survey Results

- Energy efficiency was the message that most frequently came to mind when respondents saw the ENERGY STAR label.
- 40% of respondents own ENERGY STAR qualified appliances or lighting.
- A little over half of respondents were planning to purchase an appliance in the next 2 years.



Future Efforts

- More program materials being developed in both English and Spanish
- Outreach through targeted affinity groups and programs that have a reach in the Hispanic community – Head Start
- More advertsing and outreach in the Spanish media
- Track usage number of Spanish coupons redeemed.



Lessons Learned

- Translation issues
 - Make sure someone confirms your translation
 - Savings with a Twist
 - Message needs to resonate straight translation may not work
 - capture the culture, traditions and spirit



Again - An Important Market

Latinos are the fastest growing population segment within the U.S.

- Latinos view the world and products & services from a completely different paradigm than Caucasian Americans.
- Values, lifestyle, cultural and taste differ from the mainstream and this phenomenon translates into unique selection, buying, and usage habits for a given set of goods and services.



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